

Introduced by Senator Alarcon

February 17, 2005

An act relating to solid waste.

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SB 411, as introduced, Alarcon. Solid waste: nonbiodegradable materials: landfills.

The existing California Integrated Waste Management Act of 1989, which is administered by the California Integrated Waste Management Board, establishes an integrated waste management program. Under existing law, the act requires each city, county, city and county, and regional agency, if any, to develop a source reduction and recycling element of an integrated waste management plan containing specified components.

This bill would make a statement of the Legislature's intent to enact legislation that would reduce the expansion of landfills by reducing the use of materials that do not biodegrade.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no.
State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. The Legislature declares its intention to enact
- 2 legislation that would reduce the expansion of landfills by
- 3 reducing the use of materials that do not biodegrade.

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